

# MYSTERIOUS VOICES STARTLED HIM

## PLAN WIRELESS PHONE TO HILO

Clinton J. Hutchins, president of the Hawaii Telegraph and Telephone Company, which is the new combination of the Wireless Telegraph Company and the Standard Telephone Company for equipping this island with automatic telephones and so doing away with the trials of a human central, has in practical contemplation the establishment of a wireless telephonic communication between Honolulu and Hilo.

Wireless telephones are already in existence in a few spots and are sometimes used with success between ships of war, and Isbell's recent wonderful experience with hearing human voices caught by the Barber's Point wireless station while officers of two of the vessels of the Atlantic fleet were talking by telephone, wireless telephone, in this harbor, goes to show that the proposition of long-distance wireless telephoning is soon to be materialized.

Hutchins plans to have his company lead the world in new wrinkles and an actual work within three weeks.

## TO BE BROUGHT BACK TO ANSWER FOR CONTEMPT

FIRST OFFICER OF THE ROSECRANS DISREGARDED A SUMMONS AS WITNESS AND WILL BE EXTRADITED FROM CALIFORNIA AND TRIED FOR CONTEMPT OF COURT—WAS ALLOWED TO GO ON PROMISE TO RETURN HERE.

That it does not pay to fool with the Federal Court is a lesson which will be taught to E. Wirscheleit, who was first officer of the Rosecrans when Archibald McKinnon was murdered by John Wynne. He will be placed under arrest in California and brought to this city to answer to a charge of contempt of court, the warrant being issued by Judge Dole this afternoon.

Wirscheleit was subpoenaed by the United States Marshal when here at the time of the murder. He was told that his presence would be required and that he must be present when the trial took place. He was also told that the easiest way to make sure of his attendance would be to place him in jail till the trial came up. He naturally did not like the idea of this and begged that it be not done. Upon his solemn promise that he would appear when wanted, he was allowed to go to the Coast on his vessel.

It appears that he decided that his promise was worthless, for he told his shipmates when the vessel was but a few days out, that he could not be bluffed by any marshal or police officer and would not come back. Sure enough, he failed to appear when wanted. Now he will be arrested and will find out that the arm of the Federal Court of this district is one which can reach even across the seas and can punish those who disregard it.

The warrant will be issued this afternoon by Judge Dole, upon an affidavit sworn to by U. S. District Attorney Breckons and will be given to U. S. Marshal Hendry for service. The latter will cable to the U. S. Marshal in San Francisco, who will apprehend his man and then arrangements will be made to bring him to this city, where he will be tried for contempt.

## WIZARD ISBELL THOUGHT HE HEARD ANGELS TALKING

WIRELESS OPERATOR MULLEITNER HEARD VOICES AT BARBER'S POINT STATION, TURNED PALE WITH SUDDEN INEXPLICABLE TERROR AND GAVE THE WIRELESS EAR CAPS OVER TO EXPERT ISBELL WHO WAS ALSO STARTLED—THE EXPLANATION.

"For a moment," says Wireless Wizard Isbell, "I thought I heard the angels talking!"

In these few simple words one of the greatest of wireless electricians summed up the seeming miracle of aerial, vocal conversation.

It may seem strange that anything wireless could occur that would startle Isbell or Marconi, and yet Isbell was surely startled when the Atlantic fleet was in this port. The fact has only just leaked out, for Isbell, after his modest manner, has been endeavoring to hush the matter up. Perhaps he wants to keep quiet about it for what fortune there may be in an invention or discovery upon which he is working; and perhaps it is only his modesty that makes him keep still.

The facts are these, the facts concerning the eventful night in which Isbell got the first grey hairs on his head and when his eyes opened so wide that they have hardly yet got out of the habit of straining toward the unseen—for on that night Isbell, at Barber's Point and with the caps to his ears and listening for wireless "sparks," HEARD HUMAN VOICES.

At first he did not know they were human; as he says, "I THOUGHT I HEARD THE ANGELS TALKING." Don't laugh! There are more wonders in wireless and heaven and earth than are dreamed of in your philosophy, dear reader!

Wireless Operator Charlie Mullettner

## TWO REGIMENTS OF MARINES FOR OAHU

REASON FOR REMOVING U. S. MARINES FROM SHIPS OF WAR—BARRACKS AT PEARL HARBOR TO BE ERECTED SOON—GREAT BUILDINGS FOR ACCOMMODATION OF TROOPS—THIS ISLAND WILL BE THE PACIFIC HEADQUARTERS.

Two regiments of Marines, nearly two thousand men, are to be stationed at Pearl Harbor and Honolulu.

This is the reason of the recent order of the United States Navy Department removing from vessels of the Navy for the purpose of being stationed on this island.

It is assured that two regiments will be stationed here. Their barracks will be at Pearl Harbor. Great buildings for their accommodation will be erected. Work will start soon.

As soon as bids for Pearl Harbor dredging have been let at Washington the matter of the construction of barracks for the United States Marines will be taken up.

Oahu is to be the Pacific headquarters for Marines.

## Cannon Assured Of Speakership

(Special Correspondence of The Star.)

WASHINGTON, D. C., November 23.—Speaker Cannon is confident of re-election as presiding officer of the House, and there is every reason to believe that he will be given a fourth consecutive term in the Speaker's chair. If the Republican majority in the House had been reduced to 20 or less the probabilities are that Mr. Cannon would have been defeated, for there would have been enough Republicans pledged against him to bring about a deadlock or otherwise force him to retire, but the Republican strength in the next House is almost as great as in the present one, and the margin is too large to permit of the defeat of the Speaker by the comparatively few men who pledged themselves to vote against him.

The opposition is heavily handicapped by the defeat of Representative Hepburn of Iowa, their most conspicuous and influential member. No one anticipated Hepburn's defeat for he has been so long in Congress and was

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## HILONIAN IS JAGGED

For only one day was the Matson Navigation S. S. Hilonian out of wireless communication with the shore. For three days she was getting all the world news from the mainland States by way of San Francisco and for the three last days of her trip she was getting all the cable world news from Honolulu, or rather from the Kahuku station. This cable news, from all over the world, was posted in a conspicuous place that all the passengers might read.

The Hilonian, Captain Peter Johnson, arrived at 6:30 this morning from San Francisco. She came jagged with freight, full up, loaded, packed. She has hay and grain and feed and food. She has five automobiles and thirty-nine head of cattle. She has turkeys, chickens, ducks and other small-stock. She has Thanksgiving goods and Christmas stuff for the stores. She has ice-house goods a-plenty, and lumber and general freight of all kinds.

Rough weather was experienced almost throughout, but no one suffered and the usual good times, socially, were enjoyed aboard the reliable Matson liner.

In addition to general cargo, the Hilonian brought seventy packages of fortification material, over three hundred tons, including carriages for several of the big disappearing guns that are to be placed at Pearl Harbor. Some of the sections weigh nineteen tons.

There were forty-five passengers brought by the Hilonian.

## STAR NEWSBOYS FEED TOMORROW

The kids that hand out the liveliest local newspaper on the streets of this thriving burg are tomorrow scheduled to go up against a bunch of turkeys at Love's bakery. Which, being interpreted means that the Star newsboys get the feed of their lives tomorrow, Thanksgiving Day, and other things beside. Naturally, a boy who sells Stars makes enough money to get a square feed 366 days a year (this is leap year), but the stomach lining that gets spread on the morrow is one of those oases in the desert of monotony that makes the parents of the kids sit up and take notice, with the help of the doctor, all the following night.

## BAND AT THE BALL GAMES

The Hawaiian band will be at the soccer football games tomorrow. Music will increase the interest in this noble and deathless sport. No ambulances are needed at a soccer football game. The first game will be pulled off sharply at 2 o'clock and the second at 3:15.

SPECIALS FRIDAY AND SATURDAY—Sachs' will feature for these days specials that cannot fail to attract attention. See them in the windows.

AN INFALLIBLE REMEDY.—No matter how severe an attack of diarrhoea may be, Chamberlain's Colic Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy never fails to give relief. You cannot afford to be without it. For sale by all dealers, Benson Smith & Co., agents for Hawaii.

PHONE FOR TABLES.—Patrons of the Alexander Young Cafe who wish reserved tables will please phone in advance. Phone 59.

BIG DEMAND.—The first shipment of the new crop of Tengu Japan Rice arrived a few days ago and is almost exhausted. Cables have been sent ordering large shipment which will arrive soon. K. Yamamoto, sole agent.

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## HAYTI REBELS SLAY MINISTER OF INTERIOR

(Associated Press Cable to The Star.)

PORT AU PRINCE, Hayti, November 25.—General Le Comte, Minister of the Interior, was today killed during a murderous demonstration by the populace at Jeremie, out of revenge for the summary executions of suspected rebels from that district.

## ORDER RESTORED IN CHINESE CITY

PEKIN, November 25.—Order has been restored at Nanking where it was feared that foreigners were in danger of their lives and were taking to gunboats for refuge.

## DEPUTIES FIRE UPON STRIKERS

PORT AMBOY, N. J., November 25.—A force of fifty deputy sheriffs opened fire on a mob of riotous strikers here today. Several of the rioters were wounded.

## SHERIDAN'S MEMORY

WASHINGTON, D. C., November 25.—The unveiling of the monument to General Philip Sheridan took place here today. The address of the occasion was delivered by President Roosevelt.

## UNDER OWN STEAM

MANILA, November 25.—The hospital ship Relief, which was badly injured during the recent typhoon, is coming back to this port under her own steam.

## PILGRIMS PERISH

VALETTA, Malta, November 25.—One hundred and twenty three pilgrims, mostly Arabs, who were on board the steamer Sardinia, have perished with the burning of the vessel.

## TOMORROW'S FIGHT

SAN FRANCISCO, November 25.—Betting here is ten to seven in favor of Papke in his big fight tomorrow with Ketchel.

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